In the Claims:

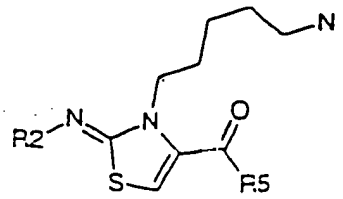
Claims 1 and **7** (cancelled).

Claim 8 (previously presented) A composition for an affinity for somatostatin receptors comprising an amount of a compound of Claim 12 sufficient for said affinity and a pharmaceutical carrier.

Cancel **Claim 9.**

Claims 10 and **11** (cancelled).

Claim 12. (currently amended) A compound of the formula:



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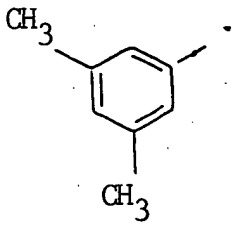
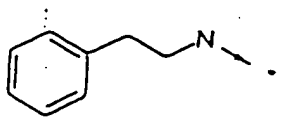
$-R_2$ is 

and R_5 is 

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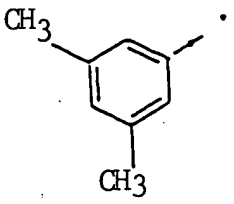
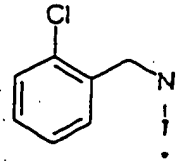
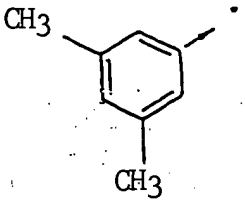
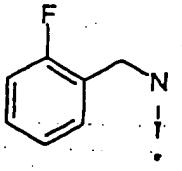
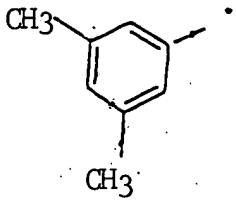
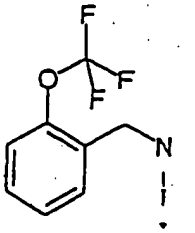
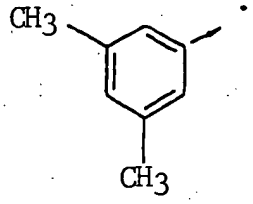
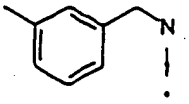
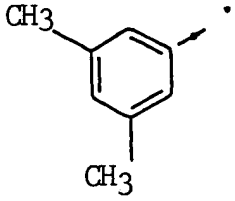
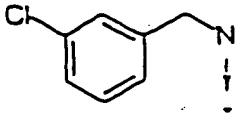
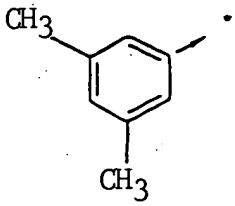
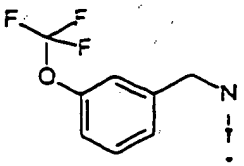
-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

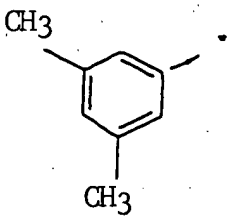
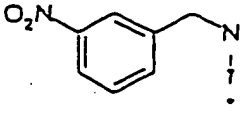
-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  .

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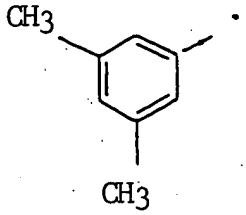
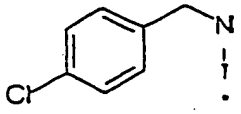
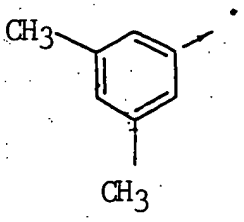
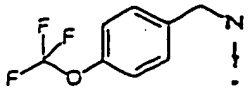
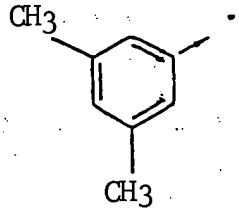
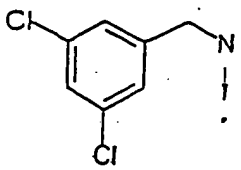
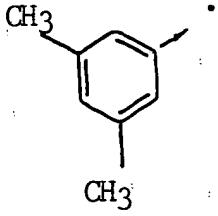
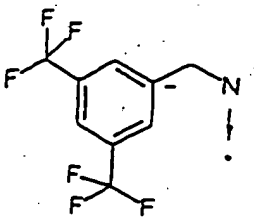
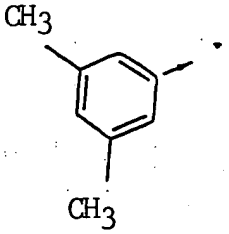
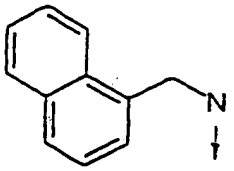
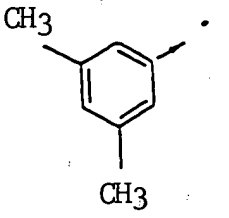
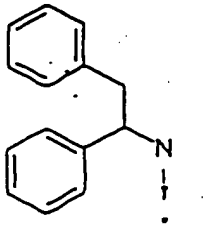
-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

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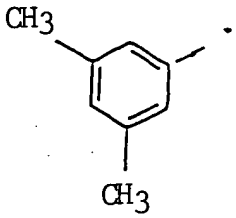
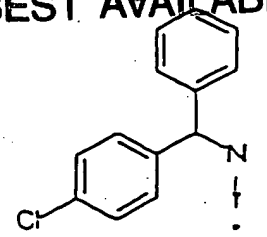
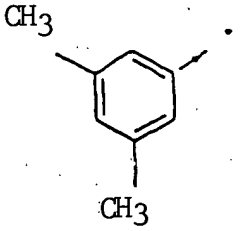
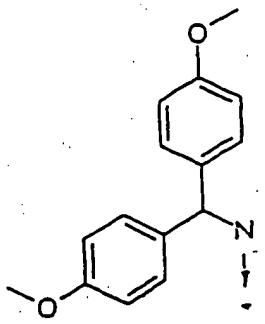
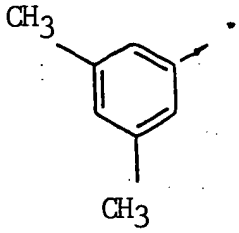
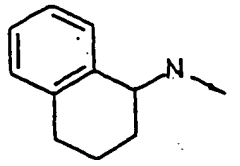
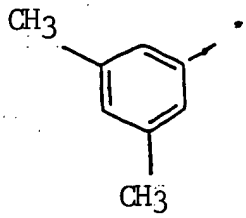
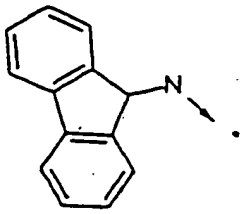
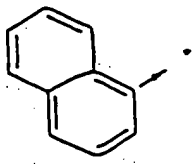
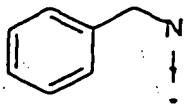
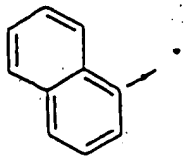
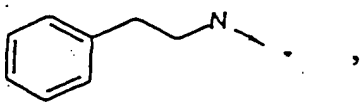
-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

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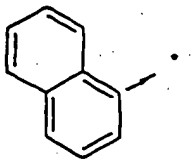
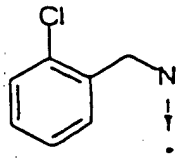
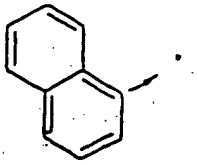
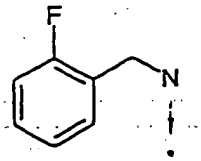
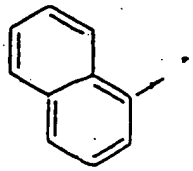
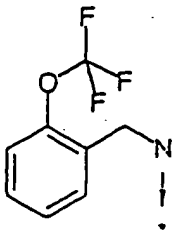
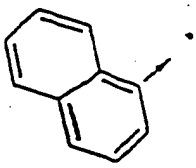
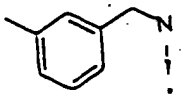
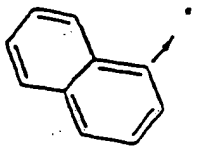
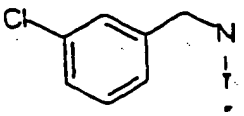
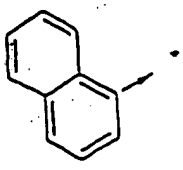
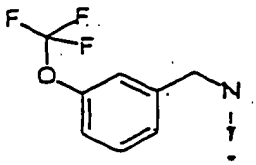
-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

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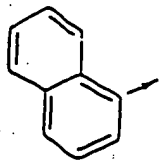
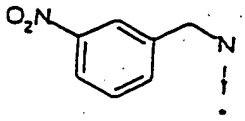
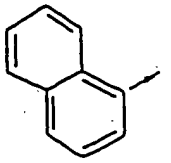
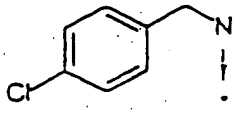
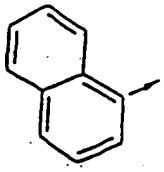
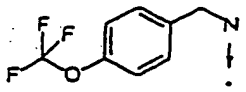
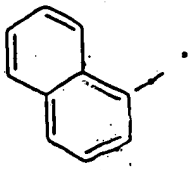
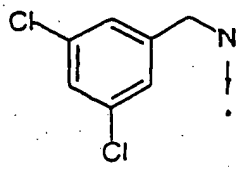
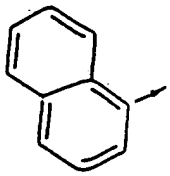
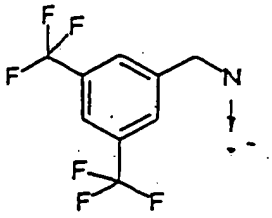
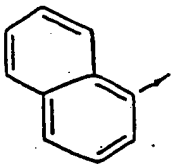
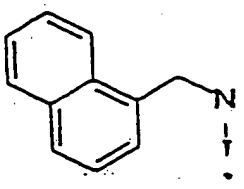
-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

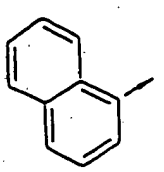
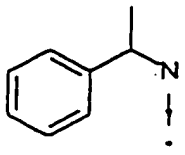
R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

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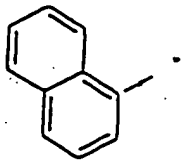
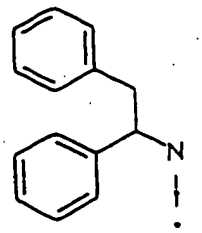
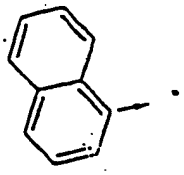
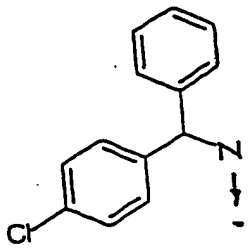
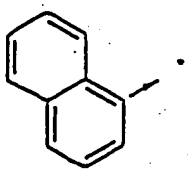
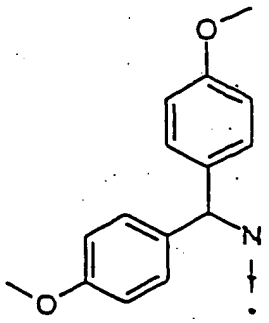
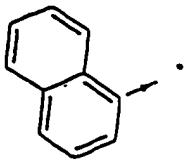
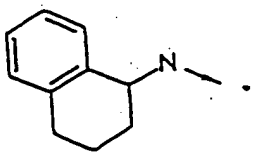
-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

-R_2 is  and R_5 is  ,

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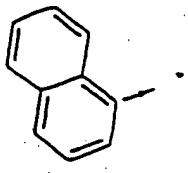
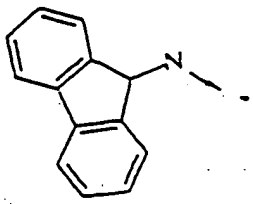
-R_2  and R_5 is  ,

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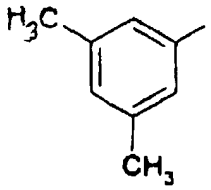
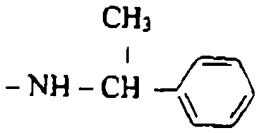
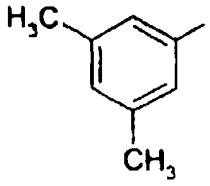
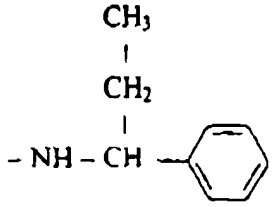
R_2 is  and R_5 is  and

R_2 is  and R_5 is  and its

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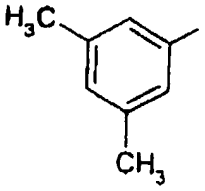
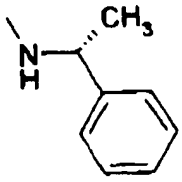
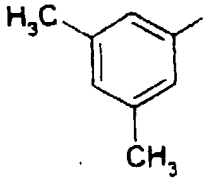
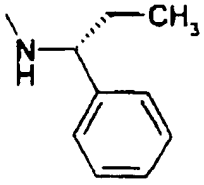
Claim 13. (previously presented) A compound of Claim 12 wherein R_2 is 

and R_5 is 

Claim 14. (previously presented) A compound of Claim 12 wherein R_2 is 

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